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VOLGOGRAD ORDNANCE AND MUNITIONS PLANT, KRASNYY BARRIKADA 221, USSR



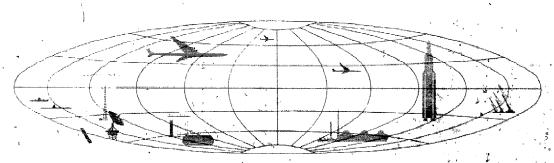


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The Volgograd Ordnance and Munitions Plant, Krasnyv Barrikada 221, is located on the west bank of the Volga River, approximately 4 nm from the center of Volgograd. A comparative study of photography obtained in reveals that this plant has been expanded (Figure 1). A fence divides it into two sections, designated here as the main plant area (4,300 by 1,800 ft) and a new construction area (1,500 by 1,300 ft). These areas are interconnected by road and rail, and the fence between them may be just for construction activity. The entire plant is surrounded by a wall.

In the main plant area a building (590 by 120 ft) which was under construction in has been completed; three support buildings

and an unidentified building (approximately 340 by 105 ft) have been constructed. Five possible trailers, 50 ft in length, were observed on the photography. These were parked in a railroad yard which is adjacent to a large fabrication-assembly building. The quality of the photography will not permit the positive identification of these vehicles.

In the new construction area one possible workshop has been constructed and a second has been removed leaving only the foundation. Work has begun on another building (eventual size approximately 770 by 200 ft).

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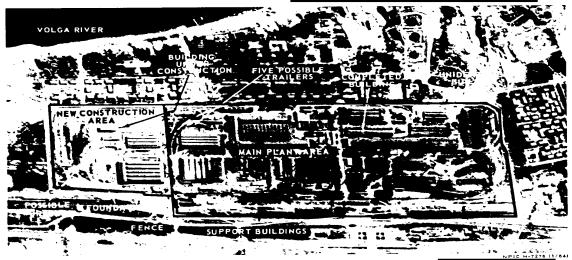


FIGURE 1. VOLGOGRAD ORDNANCE AND MUNITIONS PLANT, KRASNYY BARRIKADA 221

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